

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of)	MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Anne-Marie Caminade et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1796
Application No.: 10/580,422)	Examiner: MICHAEL M.
Filed: May 24, 2006)	DOLLINGER
For: NOVEL DENDRITIC POLYMERS)	Confirmation No.: 1713
HAVING MONOPHOSPHONIC)	
TERMINATIONS, METHOD FOR)	
PREPARING THEM, AND THEIR)	
USE)	

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Interview Summary dated August 5, 2011, below is a statement of the substance of the interview between Examiner Dollinger and Applicant's representative, Gary Mangels.

The proposed amendment to Claim 77 was discussed. Examiner Dollinger pointed out that unamended claim 77 contained the variable "n" and that the claim therefore required the definition of "n". Examiner Dollinger also pointed out that entering the amendment would raise issues under 35 U.S.C. § 112, 2nd paragraph. Applicant's representative and Examiner Dollinger agreed not to enter the amendment to claim 77, while entering all of the other amendments of the Amendment After Final filed on July 26, 2011.

In the event that there are any questions related to this response, or the application in general, it would be appreciated if the Examiner would telephone the undersigned attorney at the below-listed telephone number concerning such questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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